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FOLLOWING CAIRO 7694 SENT ACTION SECSTATE INFO GENEVA MAY 5;
REPEATED TO YOU QUOTE

C O N F I D E N T I A L CAIRO 7694

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS; PORG,

SUBJ: CONTROVERSY AT INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS MEETING

1. DURING POLCOUNS CALL AT MFA MAY 5 ON OTHER SUBJECTS DIRS
LEGAL DEPT AND INT ORGANIZATIONS DEPT BOTH TOOK ISSUE WITH
ALLEGED US POSITION AT CONFERENCE OF INT RED CROSS NOW TAKING
PLACE IN GENEVA. THEY SAID US IS LOBBYING HARD IN FAVOR OF
IRC ADOPTING STAR OF ZION AS FIFTH SYMBOL USED BY IRC (OTHER
FOUR BEING AMERICAN RED CROSS, RED CRESCENT, IRANIAN RED
LION AND JAPANESE SUN). THEY CLAIMED THAT ART 29 OF CONVENTION
RECOGNIZES ONLY THESE FOUR AND THAT THERE NO PROVISION
FOR ADOPTION OF FIFTY SYMBOL. THEY SEEM TO BASE GOE POSITIONS
NOT ON FACT THAT STAR OF ZION REPRESENTS ISRAEL, BUT ON
OPPOSITION TO PROLIFERATION OF SYMBOLS USED BY IRC.

2. COMMENT: EMBASSY HAS NO OTHER INFO ON THIS SUBJEC AND IS NOT
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EVEN CERTAIN OF ACCURACY OF ABOVE. HOWEVER, GOE APPEARS TO
TAKE MATTER SERIOUSLY AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE BACKGROUND AND
TALKING POINTS TO USE WITH GOE. EILTS UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER

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